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G. W. CLUTTER, Auditor Public Accounts.
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PREPARATION for the Holidays—TODE & CO invite the attention of the ladies to their large stock of rich furs, in sets of sable, stone marten, mink marten, ermine, fitch marten, tynx, siberian sequired.

With a variety of other choice and rich furs, comprise the largest assortment ever offered in this market.

The present is a rare opportunity of obtaining these seasonable luxuries at a reasonable price. Children's furs in endless variety, prices very low. Nor 18—coddw

No. M. McGreech.

TO Members of Congress, Members on Journaling in the
city, and the public generally.—Fermit me to call your attention to my large and superior stock of citoths, cassimeres, and vestings, which will be made up to order at the chortest notice, and in
such cyle me cannot fail to please. Having supposed my establish
ment with the very best workmen, I will warrant that all garments
manufactured by me shall be equal to those made in any other establishment in the United States.

WM. H. STANFORD, Merchant Tailor,
Penn, avenue, three doors west of 3d street, No. 486.
Also, agent for the regular French Fashions, received regularly,
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" 35 " P. Force, esq., V. Harbaugh, esq., and Silas Hill, esq.

" 4th " J. W. Maury, esq., Rev. G. W. Samson, and Rev. B. Sunderland.

" 5th " B. B. French, esq., and O. C. Wight, esq. and V. G. Wight, esq. and V. S. York Atlee, esq., O. C. Wight, esq., and W. B. Randolph, esq.

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Dress cape, head dresses, gloves, trimmings
Together with a lot of fancy notions too numericus to mention, which will be sold very chesp.
Dec 13—eo3t. No. 314 Penn. av., between 10th and 11th sts.

A CARD.—Our patrons, and the public in general, are most reapectfully informed that we have this day, the 11th instantopened, with a large additional stock, our N.w Music Depot at the
corner of Pennsylvania avenue, Elevanti and D streets, where music and musical merchandles of every description can be found on
the most responsible terms.

A call is respectfully solicited.

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"LIBERTY, THE UNION, AND THE CONSTITUTION."

CITY OF WASHINGTON, THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 11, 1855.

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CHARLES MASON, Commissioner of Patents.

Commissioner of Patents.

P. S. —Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send the bills to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this notice.

Jan 10—law3w

\$40,000 WORTH and upwards of Dry Goods to be sold off cheap.—All those indebted to us will please come forward and settle up, as it is very important our books should be closed.

HALL & BROTHER.—
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WITH Increased Facilities, Experience, and Energy We deemed quite ample, and a strict scherence to the one-price system, we feel fully jutified in expecting to increase our trade (now very large) during the approaching year.

In order that we may accomplish the desired end, it is all-important, while expressing our sincere thanks to the vast number of purchasers who chiain their supplies of dry goods of us for eash, or others who promptly actife their bills on presentation, that we announce, after much experience, that, in our opinion, all entomers refusing or neplecting to close their bills by cash or notes when presented are "a decided drawback" to the prosperity of any establishment. A note at a few months in all cases is more available than a verbal promise to "call and settle in a few day."

Being thoroughly impressed with the conviction that the principles on which we conduct our business are correct, and that we offer in all persons a deliar's worth for a delar, we do not heritate to declare that delay in closing any bills we present is neither charged for in arranging our prices nor expected to occur.

PERRY & BROTHER,

Dec 22—coif10: "Central Stores," west building.

(LOCKS, Clocks, Clocks:—The undersigned, having, at great of expense, fitted up the second story of his store and made it easy of access, by a starway in front, invites all persons in want of a good and cheap clock, and withis a timekeeper, to give him a call, y as he is statefied there is not another such an assortment in the city. All clocks sold by me are warranted to run and keep time one year, if if properly used. A few French clocks on hand. My prices are from \$1.25 to \$255.

C. S. WHITTLESEY.

334 Seventh street.

P. S.—All bills made with me must be settled mouthly.

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Notice to Dellinquent Tax Payevs.

Collector's Orrick, December 5, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given that the list of delinquent property is in about the list of delinquent property is in about the list of January, 1835. All pursons interested are earnestly requested to come forward and (by paying) relieve the undersigned from the unpleasant duty of enforcing the collection, and shematives from the onerous additional expense attending an advertisement.

B. J. ROCHE,

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Collecter.

IN CONGRESS OF THE U. STATES.

Thirty-Third Congress Second Session

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1855.

red to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. D. also presented the petition of Allen A. Bradford and others, praying that Johnson Pierson may be remuerated for losses sustained by him in executing a contract for surveying the public lands; which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

On motion by Mr. CASS, the resolutions on the subject of the right of American citizens, while travelling or residing in foreign countries, to conduct their religious worship according to the dictates of their own consciences, were taken up, and the first Monday in February was assigned for their consideration.

Mr. FISH gave notice that he should to-morrow, or on ome early day thereafter, ask leave to introduce a bill to provide for the construction of a suitable building for a

THE American Association for the Advancement of Education will hold its fourth annual meeting in the new and 5,000

Mr. EVANS, from the Committee on Revolutionary Claims, to whom were referred the following bills from the House of Representatives, severally reported them back with amendments striking out the interest allowed in each

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Mr. JOHNSON, from the Committee on Printing, red a joint resolution to provide for the engraving, graphing, and publishing of drawings, maps, chart other papers for Congress; which was read and pusses a second reading.

Mr. ATCHISON asked and obtained unanimous conse-introduce a joint resolution authorizing the Secretary se Interior to approve the accounts of the marshal of ti-strict of Missouri for furniture provided for the use-se circuit court of the United States for said district se April term of said court held at St. Louis in the ye-sta; which was read twice and referred to the Commi-se on the Judiciary.

sition to the passage of the bill for the reformation of the judiciary system of the District of Columbia, and praying that Congress will pass such laws as may be expedient, and thorizing a convention of the people of the District to prepare and report a code of laws to Congress for the future government of the District; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. PRATT presented a memorial of masters of vessels of the United States, praying the enactment of a law to enable them to enforce obedience on shipboard; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. FESSENDEN presented the petition of Samuel B. Sawyer, grandson of Samuel Sawyer, deceased, praying to be allowed the committation pay to which his ancestor was entitled as an officer in the revolutionary army; which was referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Claims, Mr. ToUCEY presented the petition of Jeremiah Dual and others engaged in literary and scientific pursuits, praying that the works of the late exploring expedition, under the command of Charles Wilkes, of the navy, may be republished by Congress; which was referred to the Committee on the Library.

Mr. T. also presented the memorial of Thomas W. Powell and E. Moore, praying to be released from liability as security for the appearance of Otho Hinton, charged with robbing the mail; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. W. Eller presented the memorial of William P. Buel, praying compensation for medical services to the third regiment of the United States artillery on board the steamer San Francisco and the ship Three Bells; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. W. also presented the petition of Major H. Day, Lieut George H. Paige, and other officers of the United States artillery on board the steamer San Francisco and the ship Three Bells; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, praying compensation for medical services to the work of the senator from colled to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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wreck of the steamany coast; which was referred to the Committee on minusty Affairs.

Mr. DAWSON presented the petition of Jane Irwin, praying to be allowed additional pay and bounty land on account of the services of her father, the late Col. Jared Irwin, in the revolutionary War; which was referred to the Committee on Revolutionary Claims.

Mr. CLAYTON presented the petition of Joel Ware, of Alleghany county, New York, praying that the present ariff may be so altered as to give ample protection and encouragement to all the varied productions of our country, so that our national policy may conform to the recently-developed sentiment known as Americanism or known onthingism; which was referred to the Committee on Mannafactures.

Mr. DODGE, of Iowa, presented a memorial of the mayor Mr. DODGE, of Iowa, presented a memorial of the mayor When he had concluded, the further consideral subject was postponed until to-morrow; and all the present the conditions of the country is the country of the country; but he thought that if the judges to more enlarged and liberal views, in consequence the rotary principle would enable the judges to more enlarged and liberal views, in consequence of the country; but he thought that if the judges to the other side that the ador the rotary principle would enable the judges to more enlarged and liberal views, in consequence of the country; but he thought that if the judges to the rotary principle would enable the judges to more enlarged and liberal views, in consequence of the country; but he thought that if the judges to the country; but he thought that if the judges to the country; but he thought that if the judges to the country; but he thought that if the judges to the country; but he thought that if the judges to more enlarged and liberal views, in consequence mingling with the people and the bar of the country; but he thought that if the judges to the country; but he thought that if the judges to more enlarged and liberal views, in consequence mingling with the people and the bar

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House met at 12 o'clock, m. EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

The SPEAKER laid before the House a communication from the Treasury Department, conteining certain financial statements of the Comptroller; which was laid on the table and ordered to be printed.

Also, a communication from the Commissioner of Public Buildings, containing a statement of the contracts made during the year 1854 by that officer; which was laid on the table and ordered to be printed. BILLS INTRODUCED.

Mr. PHILLIPS asked and obtained leave to introduce bill regulating the carrying of spirits of turpentine; wh was read twice by unanimous consent, and referred to Committee on Commerce.

Mr. ELLIOT, of Massachusetts, asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill making appropriations for continuing the improvement and preservation of Wood's Hole barbor, in the State of Massachusetts; which was read twice by unanimous consent, and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

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Also, a bill making appropriations for the improvement rad preservation of the harbor at Nantucket, in the State of Massachusetts; which was read twice by unanimous consent, and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. RICHARDSON, in pursuance of notice, asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill to improve the Mississippi river and its tributaries; which was read twice by unanimous consent, and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. HENDRICKS said that he should object to the fur-

Claims, to whom were referred the following bills from the House of Representatives, severally reported them back with amendments striking out the interest allowed in each case:

Bill for the relief of Daniel Beddinger's heirs.

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Bill for the relief of the administrator of the heirs of Thomas Wishart.

Bill for the relief of the heirs of Larkin Smith.

Mr. FISB, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom was referred the bill for the relief of Thomas Marston Taylor, which had been returned from the House of Representatives with an amendment, reported it back with a recommendation that the Senate do not concur in the amendment of the House, and ask a committee or conference; which was agreed to.

Mr. GWIN, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, to whom were referred the bill from the House of Representatives for the benefit of Charles J. Forcher, acting purses of the United States stoop-Gwar Falmouth, reported because the conference of the Charles o